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For: SOFTWARE REPRODUCTION APPARATUS HAVING A PLURALITY OF INPUT DATA ROUTES (as amended)

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2002, and having a period for response set to expire on January 30, 2003. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to March 30, 2003. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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IN THE TITLE:

Please delete the existing title and substitute therefore --SOFTWARE REPRODUCTION APPARATUS HAVING A PLURALITY OF INPUT DATA ROUTES--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please **AMEND** claims 8, 12, 16, and 20-23 as follows:

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